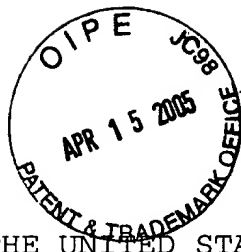


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In re Application of

CAROL LEFEBVRE DU GROSRIEZ ET AL

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ABSORBENT PAPER PRODUCT  
SUCH AS NAPKIN OR HANDKERCHIEF,  
METHODS FOR MANUFACTURING SUCH  
A PRODUCT, AND APPARATUS  
IMPLEMENTING SUCH METHODS

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Alexandria, Virginia  
April 15, 2005

Commissioner for Patents  
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the official action mailed November  
15, 2004, please amend the captioned application as set  
forth below.